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UM SENIOR TAPPED FOR SOVIET EXCHANGE PROGRAM

MISSOULA --

University of Montana senior Aaron Aylsworth will celebrate the new year in the Soviet Union as part of a two-week American-Soviet Leadership Seminar.

Aylsworth, president of the Associated Students of University of Montana, will be one of 50 U.S. undergraduates participating in the seminar, Dec. 29-Jan. 11. The trip is part of a new exchange program aimed at exposing U.S. student leaders to varied aspects of Soviet life.

The students will be based at the University of Vilnius in the Soviet Republic of Lithuania. Visits are also planned to the universities of Leningrad and Moscow.

Aylsworth, the son of Laurene and Joseph MacDonald of Coeur d'Alene, Idaho, is a graduate of Libby Senior High School. An economics major, he is a member of the Sigma Nu fraternity, Mortarboard and the Forestry Students Association. During the summer he works as a smoke jumper for the U.S. Forest Service.

The exchange program is coordinated by the American Association of University Students and the Citizen Exchange Council.

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